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Subject: Fw: Bristol Bay Alaska Ecological Assessment
Attachments: TNC Pebble Risk Assessment_October 2010.pdf

Do you know anything about this? I don't know Phil North. Is the new RA and the AK R10 director involved?

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...know that your people will judge you based on what you can build, not what you can destroy. Barack Obama 1/20/2009.
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Tom:

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I did include below an initial assessment prepared by TNC that at least gives you some idea of the scope of the project and some of

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Subject: Follow-up from today's call with ORD re Bristol Bay

Michael and Jeff:

Thank you again for meeting with us today and for agreeing to conduct a preliminary review of TNC's Bristol Bay Risk analysis, attached below.

Before you dig into the TNC report, I recommend taking a look at some lighter background reading. This article regarding the Pebble Mine issue entitled "Alaska's Choice: Gold or Salmon" was published in the December 2010 issue of National Geographic:
<http://ngm.nationalgeographic.com/2010/12/bristol-bay/dobb-text>

Also, I will reach out to the folks at TNC regarding setting up a meeting to discuss the details of its analysis with us in more detail.

Please let me know if you have any questions.

Thanks, Palmer

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